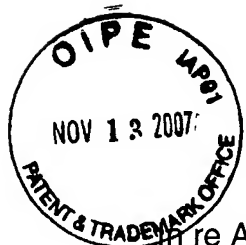


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RESPONSE TO DECISION ON APPEAL AND AMENDMENT

In reply to Decision on Appeal dated September 18, 2007, Applicant proposes
that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.
Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.